GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

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PATHETIC CONDITION OF NATIONAL HIGHWAYS IN MANIPUR
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Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is aware of the pathetic condition of the National Highways in Manipur particularly NH-37 and NH-2;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;

(c) the action taken against the agencies which are responsible for the maintenance of these NHs; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI KRISHANPAL GURJAR)

(a) & (b)Yes, Madam, the stretches from km145 to 152 & km 186 to 192 of NH-37 (Old NH- 53) and the stretches from km 185 to 262 of NH-02 (Old NH-150) between Tipaimukh and Churachandpur are in dilapidated condition due to hampering the work progress on account of frequent bandhs, hostile activities and climatic conditions etc.

(c) & (d) BRO is responsible for the maintenance & development of these NH stretches and review meetings are taken up at highest level to expedite the progress of sanctioned works.